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5 Title: ANAEROBIC TREATMENT PROCESS FOR THE RAPID HYDROLYSIS AND
6 CONVERSION OF ORGANIC MATERIALS TO SOLUBLE AND GASEOUS
7 COMPONENTS

8 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

9 Seattle, Washington 98101

10 July 30, 1996

11 TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

12 Applicant is aware of the information listed in the attached form that may be material to the
13 prosecution of the above-identified patent application.

14 1. Copies of the listed patents, publications, and other information are enclosed for the
15 Examiner's use.

16 2. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), this information disclosure statement is being filed
17 within three months of the filing date of the national application, within three months
18 of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.491 in an
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3. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. A copy of this request is enclosed.

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